

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA**

In re:)	
Kenneth Joseph Woodard,)	Chapter 13
Debtor)	Case No. 08-81442-TJM
Kenneth Joseph Woodard, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated,)	
Plaintiffs,)	Adv. Pro. No. 21-08023-TLS
v.)	
Navient Solutions, LLC and Navient Credit Finance Corporation,)	
Defendants.)	<u>CLASS ACTION</u>
)	

NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT IN PRINCIPLE

Plaintiff Kenneth Joseph Woodard (“Woodard”), on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated, together with Defendants Navient Solutions, LLC and Navient Credit Finance Corporation, respectfully file this Notice to alert the Court that they have reached a settlement in principle that would encompass all claims raised between the parties in the above-captioned class action. The parties are currently working to reduce that settlement in principle to a final definitive agreement and intend to update the Court on the status of their negotiations and the anticipated procedure for consummating the final settlement at the Status Hearing set for May 1, 2023 at 1:00 PM Central Time [Dkt. Entry 61] in the above-captioned matter.

Dated: April 28, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on this 28th day of April, 2023, a true and correct copy of the forgoing was served via that Court's electronic case filing system (CM/ECF) to all parties registered to receive such notice in the above-captioned proceeding.

/s/ Jason W. Burge